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Applicants

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Title

Carrier Core Material, Coated Carrier, Two-Component

Developing Agent for Electrophotography, and Image

Forming Method

Art Unit

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Examiner

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28289

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 29, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for a one-month Extension of Time, along with a Terminal Disclaimer are filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop: Amendment; Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date below.

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